

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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IN RE: *Application of Nashville Gas Company, a Division of Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. for a waiver of Sections 192.121 and 192.123(a) of Part 192 of U.S.C. Title 49*

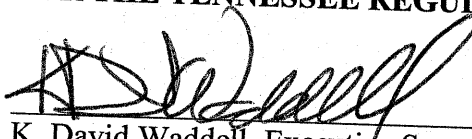
DATE: April 16, 2002

Pursuant to T.C.A. § 65-4-201 et seq., the Authority has scheduled a Hearing in the above-captioned proceeding for **Tuesday, May 7, 2002 immediately following the Authority Conference**, which is scheduled to begin at 9:00 a.m. in the Hearing Room on the Ground Floor at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee. This Hearing will be conducted in accordance with the Tennessee Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, T.C.A. §4-5-101 et seq. All parties are entitled to be represented by counsel.

The Hearing will be conducted for the purpose of considering the request of Nashville Gas Company for a waiver of Section 192.121 and 192.123(a) of Part 192 of U.S.C. Title 49 to permit the use of polyamide resin (also known as Nylon 11, PA 11, or Tilsan™) as a piping material to distribute natural gas at operating pressures up to 200 psig as limited by its approved Plastic Pipe Hydrostatic Design Basis design factor of 0.40 and the use of the design formula contained within Section 192.121

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FOR THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY:


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